

### **East Montgomery County Fire Department**

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# **Engine Operator Exam**

Montgomery County ESD 7 (East Montgomery County Fire Department) has announced an entry Engine Operator exam for October 5, 2016 at 0800 Hrs. An application for employment must be submitted to the assistant fire chief by September 24, 2016 to be eligible for the testing process. Applications for employment can be found on the fire department website <a href="www.mcesd7.org">www.mcesd7.org</a>. Requirements for Engine Operator are:

**Education and Experience:** High School Diploma or GED required. Training sufficient to achieve certifications and licensures listed below, with a minimum of one year of fire suppression and one year of emergency medical services (EMS) response experience.

#### **License or Certificates:**

- Valid Texas class B Texas driver's license
- EMT-Basic, or higher, certification from Texas Dept of Health
- Basic certification from the Texas Fire Commission
- NIMS 100, 200, 700, 800 (NIMS 300 & 400 within one year of employment)

#### **Employment Benefits:**

- Salary of \$41,860.00 (includes overtime)
- ESD 7 provides medical, life, dental, and vision insurance
- Paid Time Off vacation, sick days, & holiday time
- 401k retirement plan, 4% employer match
- Furnished uniforms
- 48/96 work schedule

#### **Selected Reading Material:**

- Fire Service Hydraulics & Pump Operations By: Paul Spurgeon
- 25 to Survive: Reducing Residential Injury and LODD By: Dan Shaw & Douglas Mitchell
- East Montgomery County Fire Department Guidelines

The selected material can be purchased on line at firefighter bookstore, or through amazon. It is the candidates' responsibility to purchase the material.



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#### **HIRING PROCESS:**

Request, complete and submit application with copies of:

- Driver's License
- Social Security Card
- DD214 (if applicable)
- Full Criminal History and Driving Record from TXDPS (FAST Finger Printing Services)
- Texas Commission on Fire Protection Certifications
- Texas Department of State Health Services Certification
- NIMS certifications

### APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED WITHOUT THESE DOCUMENTS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

All candidates that successfully pass the Engine Operator exam with a grade of 70% or higher, pass and demonstrate efficiency with job related Simulations, and interview will be placed on a promotional list and ranked by final grade for a period of 6 months or at the fire chief's discretion. New applicants must successfully complete the physical agility test. The physical agility test will include the following:

Applicants will have a maximum time of 10 minutes and requires the applicant to wear a SCBA, Helmet, and Gloves

- Ladder raise climb (24 ft. extension)
- Deploy Crosslay
- Hi-rise pack
- Confined space crawl
- Equipment carry
- Victim drag
- Hammer sled
- Charged 2 ½ hose drag

Montgomery County Emergency Service District #7 provides fire and first responder emergency medical services to over 45,000 residents in eastern Montgomery County, Texas. Montgomery County Emergency Service District #7 encompasses approximately 144 square miles that produces over 4,500 responses for emergency service per year.

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